

## GORMAN HAS HIS WAY

Yesterday the Senate Appointed its New Officers.

## A SOUTHERN MAN SECRETARY

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WASHINGTON, April 6.—As soon as the reading of yesterday's journal was finished, Mr. Gorman called up the resolution for the election of senate officers and presented a substitute for it. The substitute was that the senate do now proceed to the election of sergeant-at-arm and doorkeeper and chaplain; that the officers to be elected shall only enter on the discharge of their duties on the first day of the meeting of the Fifty-third congress, whether in extraordinary or regular session, and that the present incumbents shall continue in office until that day.

Mr. Sherman favored the substitute, but desired it to go over until Monday, as immediate action was unexpected. After he and Mr. Gorman split a few lanes the matter went over until 2 o'clock. Mr. Carey offered a resolution which was referred to the committee on contingent expenses, authorizing the committee on territories to visit the territories of New Mexico, Utah and Oklahoma for the purpose of obtaining information in regard to their resources, regulations and condition, and as to the propriety of their admission as states.

**McPherson's Resolution.**—The debate on the admission of three senators appointed by the governors of Montana, Washington and Wyoming was resumed, and Mr. Butler made an argument against their admission.

At the close of his speech the matter was laid aside temporarily at the request of Mr. McPherson, and the committee on contingent expenses was taken up and agreed to. It directs the committee of labor to make a report to the senate at the opening of the Fifty-third congress as to the total cost (including all the elements) and the actual labor cost of various iron and steel products and of the leading articles of textile industry; and it instructs the committee to make such further investigation in regard to the same matters as it shall deem important.

The resolution offered by Mr. Hoar last Monday concerning the election of senators by the people was taken up, and Mr. Hoar proceeded to address the senate upon it.

At 2 o'clock he yielded the floor so as to allow action to be taken on the resolution offered this morning by Mr. Gorman to proceed to the election of secretary, sergeant-at-arm and doorkeeper and chaplain of the senate.

**New Senate Officers.**—Mr. Manderson said that the resolution was entirely satisfactory to the senators of his side of the chamber. He complimented the present incumbents of the offices and said he did not believe it possible that the clerical force of the secretary's office could be improved. Mr. Gorman also bore testimony to the efficiency and worth of the officers of the senate. The resolution was then agreed to without discussion, as were resolutions relating to the election of secretary, sergeant-at-arm and doorkeeper, and William H. Milburn, D. of Illinois, chaplain, their terms of office to begin on the first day of the meeting of the Fifty-third congress, whether in extraordinary or in regular session.

Mr. Hoar resumed the floor in order to proceed with his speech, but he yielded for a motion to proceed to executive business, after which business was disposed of the senate at 2:50 p. m. adjourned till tomorrow.

## SENATE CONFIRMATIONS.

Long List of Faithful Democrats Who Are at Last Rewarded.

WASHINGTON, April 6.—The senate has confirmed the following nominations: James D. Porter of Tennessee, to be minister to Chili; James McKendree of Kentucky, to be minister to Peru; Louis Baker of Minnesota, minister to Nicaragua, Costa Rica and Salvador; Pierce M. B. Young of Georgia, minister to Guatemala and Honduras; Edwin Dun of Ohio, minister to Japan; Newton B. Knuts of Louisiana, secretary of the legation at Paris; Claude M. Shaffer of West Virginia, consul to Stratford, Ontario; Harrison R. Williams of Missouri, consul to Vera Cruz; M. P. Pendleton of Maine, consul to Pictou; Theodore M. Stephens of Illinois, consul to Annaberg; Henry J. Hathaway of Maine to be collector of customs for the district of Ansonia; Walter Goldard of Connecticut to be collector of customs for the district of Fairfield, Connecticut.

## WILL PRESS THE BUTTON.

Mrs. Cleveland Will Cast a Ball at the World's Fair.

WASHINGTON, April 6.—Mrs. Cleveland has decided not to accept the invitation of the Columbian exposition directors to be present at the formal opening of the world's fair on May 1. She will, however, take part in the opening ceremonies through the medium of an electric wire, which will connect the White house with the exposition grounds. The secretary of the daughters of the Revolution recently decided to have a memorial ball cast within the fair grounds on May 1 and Mrs. Cleveland was invited to touch a button, so that a current will turn the mallet into a mallet. As she will not be in Chicago, Mrs. Cleveland will touch the button at the White house, and this afternoon Private Secretary Thurber notified the officers of the society of Mrs. Cleveland's acceptance of their invitation.

## McCaughy to Be Impeached.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 6.—This evening the special committee investigating charges of fraud preferred against Land Commissioner McCaughy handed in their report advising his impeachment. The committee, which was composed of many, returned an almost unanimous report advising impeachment. In substance it reads: "The evidence produced by the first committee and advice immedi-

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The men entered the ring at 9:15. Bowen was in the lead, followed by his seconds, Thomas Anderson and James Spitzfaden. Burke came in shortly thereafter, and received a warm reception. Burke's attendants were John A. Sullivan, George Le Blanche and Harry Brien.

## Public Sentiment Favors Locke.

ANTLER, 1 T. April 6.—The militia still remain in camp at Goodland, and it is rumored that they are coming here tonight to search every house in the place. If this is done it will manifestly be for the purpose of harassing and annoying the people, who, while taking no part in the trouble, are for the most part sympathizers with Locke, especially since the murderous attack on his house on March 28. The announcement that Bennett had asked for martial law brought a feeling of relief to United States citizens.

## Cashier Mysteriously Disappears.

DENVER, Colo., April 6.—E. Garretson, cashier of the Bank of Denver, is missing, and his friends are worried over it. Mr. Garretson's home is in Colorado Springs, where his wife and children live, and it has been his custom to go there every Saturday evening and remain over until Monday. Last Saturday he left the bank at the usual hour, but has failed to reach Colorado Springs. The accounts of Mr. Garretson at the bank have been examined and found correct.

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